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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Attorney General Ashcroft:

I am requesting you to reconsider your Department's agreement to the settlement with Microsoft. I am just a regular computer user who, up until a few months ago, felt no antipathy towards Microsoft. But now I think reconsideration is necessary due to the following:

1. There is real, credible evidence that Microsoft's new Windows XP operating system will severely compromise the security of the Internet. See <http://grc.com/dos/xpsummary.htm> for details. Microsoft has been advised of the issue, but they are ignoring this critical matter.
2. It is my impression that Microsoft is continuing their monopolist practices in Windows XP.
3. Microsoft is moving toward a new level of end-user control by restricting end-users from installing Windows XP and Office XP more than 4 times. And, if you make rather simple modifications to your computer hardware, your prior installation of XP or Office XP may not function.

Sincerely,

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